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RESIDENTS ENCOURAGED TO APPLY FOR HISTORIC PRESERVATION FUND COMMITTEE OPENINGS

RIVERSIDE, CA - Applications are now being accepted through June 19, 2013, for two voluntary positions on the newly established Historic Preservation Fund Committee. Appointees will represent Cultural Resources Groups in Riverside.

A Historic Preservation Fund Program is hereby established to provide funding for the conservation, preservation, restoration, and rehabilitation of Cultural Resources. The Historic Preservation Fund Committee membership shall consist of five members, serving two -year terms. The Cultural Heritage Board shall designate two of its members to serve as representatives, and the Chair of the Utility Services, Land Use, and Energy Development Committee shall be the City Council representative. The remaining two shall be City residents affiliated with separate Riverside-specific historic preservation organizations and appointed by the Mayor's Nominating and Screening Committee. The Committee shall develop criteria and a selection process for evaluating project applications, including guidelines for matching funds, for City Council review and approval.

The Committee shall establish meeting rules, application deadlines, and the frequency of meetings; however, the Committee shall meet at least quarterly and shall consider any submitted grant applications at least semi-annually.

For more information and applications for the Historic Preservation Fund Committee visit www.riversideca.gov or visit the City Clerk's Office on the 7th floor of City Hall.